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Plasma Treatment Method to Reduce Silicon Erosion Over HDI Silicon Regions For:

Submitted herewith are:

X 2 sheet(s) of formal drawings

X An Assignment of the invention to <u>Taiwan Semi</u>conductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd., together with Assignment Recordal Sheet

X A Declaration for patent application under CFR 1.63 and 1.68

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